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SUBJECT: SA GOLD AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESERVES

REF: PRETORIA 2040

1. SA RESERVE BANK HOLDINGS REPORTED FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 22 AS FOLLOWS ( IN MILLION RAND):

GOLD 562.8 ( PLUS 0.4)

FOREIGN EXCHANGE 631.1 ( MINUS 27.0)

TOTAL 1,193.9 ( MINUS 26.6)

INCREASE IN GOLD HOLDINGS REPRESENTS APPROXIMATELY 2.6 PERCENT OF ESTIMATED AVERAGE WEEKLY PRODUCTION.

2. SARB STATES THAT REPAYMENT OF GOVERNMENT LOANS ACCOUNTS FOR DECREASE IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE HOLDINGS.
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